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In para 341 of the A.E.C. Report, 1948, it has been recommended that the numerous activities of a Deptt. shd. be integrated through District officers and these shd. be non wasteful multiplication of subdte. officials for separate kinds of work in the same Deptt.

2. This recommendation was discussed in detail in connection with the Secy's meeting which is being held today to discuss the A E C Report - Ch X.

It has been explained that in the P.W.D. except in few cases the R & B. and Irrgn. charges are combined. In cases where the activities of the Deptt in respect of Roads or Irrign. were greatly concentrated that it was necy. to have separate changes for "Roads" or "Irrign" ~~separately concentrated~~ Nevertheless the activities are integrated ~~in~~ though the Ex.Engr.

3. The recommandation may be accepted in principle & the P &SD may be informed as per Draft put up.

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No.3063/46-B,
Political and Services Department.
Bombay Castle, 18th August 1948.

Subject:- Administrative Enquiry Committe.

Implementation of the
recommendations of the ---

MEMORANDUM

The attention of the undermentioned officers and the Secretariat Departments is invited to paragraph 341 of the Report of the Administrative Enquiry Committee and they are requested to offer their remarks on the following recommendations of the Committee so far as they are concerned.

'Multiplication of subordinate officials in a district for separate kinds of works under one department should be kept to a minimum. Even when special staff is appointed, the responsibility of a district officer for all the activities of his department in the district should remain. The same principle should be followed in talukas.

By order of the Governor of Bombay,

J. Chaves

For Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Political and Services Department.

To

The Commissioners of Divisions,

All Collectors.

All Departments of the Secretariat (except the Separate Department.)

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P.W.D.
B.C.m 13th Sept.1948

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
P. & S.D.

Subject: Integrating the activities of a Deptt. through Dist. officers.

Reference: Your Memo. No.3063/46-B, dated the 18-8-48.

2. The recommendation contained in para.3/41 of the Adme. Enquiry Committee's Report is accepted subject to the remarks made in the following paras.

3 The P.W.D. though combined at the moment, mainly consists of two separate branches - one for 'Roads and Buildings and the other for 'Irrigation'. Generally combined charges for 'R & B.' and Irrign. do exist but in cases where the activities in respect of Irrign are greatly concentrated separate charges are functioning.

4, Similarly the work pertaining to the specialist services e.g. Public Health and Electricity is carried out by a subordinate staff under the supervision of an Ex.Engr. of the General Provl. Service, pertaining to that branch. These branches of the P.W.D. being highly specialised cannot be combined under one man.

D.A.-Nil.

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Administrative Enquiry Committee's Report
Recommendation made in paragraph 341 of the Government Orders on ----

Government of Bombay,
Political and Services Department.
Resolution No.3063/46.
Bombay Castle, 16th April 1949.

RESOLUTION OF GOVERNMENT.

In paragraph 341 of its report, the Administrative Enquiry Committee has recommended that multiplication of subordinate officials in a district from separate kinds of work under one department should be kept to a minimum and that even when special

staff is appointed, the responsibility of a district officer for all the activities of his department in the district should remain. Government has carefully considered this recommendation and is pleased to direct that it should be accepted. Necessary action should be taken accordingly by the Departments concerned.

By order of the Governor of Bombay,

M.D.Bhat,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Political and Services Department.

To

All Departments of the Secretariat.

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